

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: James Wilson-MacDonald *et al.*
Application No.: 10/790,033 Examiner: R. Shaffer
Filing Date: March 2, 2004 Group Art Unit: 3733
Title: ORTHOPAEDICS DEVICE AND SYSTEM

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 31, 2006 in the above-identified application, the Examiner is requested to amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.